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Seal Teeth!

Jewellery of all kinds in fine gold and beautifully finished is what Pennock & Lowe, the Jewellers, are making a specialty of just now. 88 Government St. next Spencer's Arcade.

MORE WAR PREPARATIONS.

Survivors of the Chinese Troopship Chean Arrive at Shanghai.

Murderers of Presbterian Missionary Wylie Hanged—Army Movements.

London, Sept. 15.—A Shanghai dispatch states that six survivors of the Chinese troopship Chean, wrecked at Chetug with fourteen hundred soldiers on board, have arrived at Shanghai. They say two hundred were drowned. No news has been received of any engagement in Corea since August 13, when the Chinese were defeated with a loss of five hundred.

The murderers of Presbyterian Missionary Wylie at Liao Yang have been executed. The chapels destroyed are to be rebuilt at the expense of the residents of the neighborhood.

A Tokio dispatch states that the Japanese have routed the forces of the Chinese at Chuen Chwa. The Chinese retreated to Vingian. The Japanese army is crossing the Tau Tong. Marshal Yamagata is at Seoul and will assume supreme command. A Hong Kong dispatch states that the enlistment of Europeans in the Chinese army has been stopped. The entire southern Chinese army has been ordered north.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Lobb Murder Case Adjourned for one Other Week.

Nanaimo, Sept. 15.—The Lobb murder case was again brought up yesterday, when Mr. Jamieson was examined for the prosecution. His evidence was of no weight although counsel for the defense objected to the witness stating what became of a pistol given him by the accused. Counsel for the defense asked for an adjournment of one week, which was granted.

The Dempsey-Halton assault case has been disposed of by the defendant being bound over to appear when called upon, under two sureties of $100 each, and was further bound over to keep the peace for twelve months.

The first of a fleet of vessels arrived here yesterday for a cargo of New Vancouver Company's coal. The mines have been idle for a few days owing to all the vessels being at sea at the same time, and now they may be expected to work steadily for the future.

The bicycle tournament opened this morning on the Caledonian grounds, and a large number of entries have been made in the different events.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice to Water Consumers on High Levels.

In order to make repairs to boiler the pumps will be shut down from 7 o'clock this evening until noon to-morrow, Sunday.
E. A. WILMOT,
Water Commissioner.

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

BR. SHIP "EATON HALL"
CAPT. LOWRISON,
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To Intending Exhibitors Art Department.

Exhibits may be left at Mr. Sommers' Store, Government Street, from Monday, Sept. 24 to Wednesday, Sept. 26, from 10 to 12 a.m., and 2 to 5 p.m. A receipt will be given. Exhibits left as above described will be transported to the building free of charge. The Art Department is under the charge of Mr. Rene Quentin, Mr. Bamford and other leading artists, and they are anxious to have all exhibits by the last date, in order that they may be hung to best advantage. sep15-td

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CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The wife of Frank S. Palmer, No. 6 Frichot avenue, Toronto, died on Monday last under circumstances which excited so much talk that the attorney-general's department has taken the matter up and ordered a thorough investigation. The deceased, it is said, was attended during her illness by two members of the Christian scientists, to which organization she belonged.

Sir Narcisse F. Belleau died at Quebec on Friday evening after a long illness, aged 88 years. He was lieut.-governor of the proince of Quebec from 1867 to 1871. He was created grand commander of the royal order of Isabel by the king of Spain in 1879.

William Carney and Arthur Robinson have been arrested in connection with the mysterious death of Patrick Cosgrove at Cornwall on Wednesday morning.

At the Methodist general conference on Thursday the reports of various committees were considered and statistics and financial statements presented. The words "of Christian Eendeavor" were dropped from the Epworth league.

Dr. Montague, M. P. for Haldimand, is suffering from low feer. He has been ill for two weeks and is still low.

News has been received from French river that when on Friday last Constable McRae attempted to arrest a man named Perrault, the latter's three brothers attacked him, and the constable drew a revolver with the object of frightening the men. William Perrault aimed a blow at the revolver, when McRae by involuntarily clutching the revolver discharged it. The bullet struck Perrault above the eye, killing him instantly.

The deepening of the Lachine Canal is to be completed by McNamee & Mann in three years.

John Murphy, John Brady, Hugh Brady and Lagore Brady are in jail at Kemptville, charged with assaulting John Swords, aged 55, whom they tortured by holding a burning torch to his feet in an endeavor to make him disclose where his money was hidden. The old man's feet have to be amputated.

Donald McArthur, barkeeper at the Cabinet hotel, Winnipeg, deliberately committed suicide by cutting his throat from ear to ear. Some time ago he was struck on the head with a heavy stick, and his relatives say this made him insane.

The clearings of the Winnipeg clearing house for the week ending September 13, were $741,397; balances, $127,000.

William Longpre, a rancher of Horse Lake, Assiniboia, accidentally shot himself while hunting, and is not expected to recover.

An attempt to fire the Cosmopolitan Hotel block in Winnipeg was made by some unknown incendiary.

TRANSFER OF FUR.

Hair Taken from Skins and Placed Upon Other Material.

In the window of a London store there is exhibited a number of pale golden skins, showing as the light glances on them a resplendent silvery sheen, while others have been dyed black without losing their lustre. These, according to the London Queen, are examples of the pelt of the Greenland seal prepared by what is called the fur transferring process, by which the ordinary skin is entirely removed, the fur alone remaining, each individual hair being attached to a flexible fabric. The advantages claimed for the process are that the furs are much softer and more pliable than ordinary skins, that they are entirely free from any unpleasant animal odor, and so far from being injured by being wetted, they can be washed in hot water and dried like blankets. It is also said that the fur will not come out by use, as the hairs hold much closer than when implanted in the original skin. All kinds of furs can be thus transferred from the skin on which they grew on to a close and durable fabric.

The modus operandi of this transfer is at first sight rather difficult to grasp. It is obvious that each individual hair cannot be transferred singly, but that the whole must be done at once. The nature of the process, however, may be very easily indicated. The original skin, from whatever animal it may have been obtained, is placed with the fur downward in contact with an adhesive surface, to which the hairs become so very strongly attached that the skin may be laid hold of and absolutely torn or stripped away, leaving the fur attached to the cement, and so perfectly is this accomplished that the skins themselves are capable of being utilized for leather. The next step of the process is the covering of the roots of the fur with another adhesive material, by which they are cemented to a close woven fabric. Thus it will be seen that the external portion of the fur is tightly held by the first cement to which it was attached, while the roots of the hairs are closely cemented to the fabric which has been placed upon them. In the process of manufacture all that is now necessary is to loosen the attachment of the hairs to the cement on which they were first placed, when the whole of the fur in its original position is obtained, only cemented to the flexible fabric in lieu of the original skin.

The result is undoubtedly most successful. It is difficult to imagine a softer and more perfect fur than that which is obtained.

PREY OF THE FLAMES.

Fire Destroying the Business Portion of Scranton—A. R. U. Contempt of Court.

An Old California Financial Institution Goes Into Voluntary Liquidation.

New York, Sept. 15.—The business portion of Scranton, Pa., is on fire and property worth $250,000 has already been destroyed.

Indianapolis, Sept. 15.—George Schelz, president of the Terre Haute branch of the A. R. U., and H. Daniels, chief of the grievance committee of the Terre Haute branch, were to-day both found guilty of contempt of the United States court for their actions during the strike. They were released on good behavior.

NEWS FROM THE SOUTH.

Reported Vessel Wreck—The Ezeta Case Goes Over.

San Francisco, Sept. 15.—The trading bark Helen W. Almy has arrived from Butaritari, making the run in 30 days, the best recorded from that port. She reports the probable loss of the British brigantine Lady Robinson, which sailed from Butaritari for Nukunau early in June for a ten day's voyage and has not since been heard of. She is supposed to have been capsized. The vessel was owned by the firm of On Chong & Co., of Sydney, N.S.W.

The attorney for the Blythe Co. gave notice to-day of his intention to move for a dismissal of the judgment of the court in favor of Florence Blythe, owing to the fact that the attorney for the latter had neglected to have the judgment recorded within the six months required by law.

The extradition of General Ezeta and his companions came to a close in Judge Morrow's court to-day. The judge said he would render a decision some time next week. He intimated pretty strongly that he would discharge the defendants.

The officers of the California Savings and Loan Association announced to-day that they had decided to go into voluntary liquidation. The society has $2,000,000 loaned on interior land, most of which is in Fresno county. The institution was incorporated in 1873, with David Farquharson as president.

EASTERN CANADA.

Burglars Captured—Decision in Regard to Walker's Case.

Pembroke, Ont., Sept. 15.—Burglars who have been operating in town for several weeks have been captured. The men arrested are Stephen, Joseph and John Brisol. Most of the goods were found in Stephen's house.

Toronto, Sept. 15.—The attorney-general's department has decided not to place Walker on trial at the approaching assizes for the murder of the Williams family at Port Credit, the same crime for which McWherrell is under sentence of death.

The executive committee of the Ontario Jockey club met yesterday to make arrangements for the annual meeting, which takes place on October 21st.

Discussing the question of Toronto as an ocean port, the Huntingdon Gleaner says editorially: "The agitation in Ontario in favor of a deep water way to the Atlantic seems to be gaining in strength, and the idea that it is possible to have ocean steamers end their voyages at Toronto and Hamilton is being engrafted in the public mind by enthusiastic speakers. The fallacy of the movement lies in the assumption that all that has to be done is to deepen the canals to suit the drafts of ocean steamships. That being done, the Parisian, Labrador and Vancouver will plough not only the waters of the lake Ontario, but beyond, discharging and receiving cargo at the head of Lake Superior. No deepening of the canals would ensure this. The St. Lawrence would have to be deepened. Were the orators of the deep water ways meetings invited to sail on Lakes St. Francise and St. Louis and furnished with sounding lines they would perceive that the present canals are as deep as either, and to obtain a passage for vessels of greater draft than 14 feet the Dominion would have to undertake cutting a canal for many miles along the rocky bottom of our great river. There is not gold enough in the mountains of British Columbia to do that.

The gentlemen appointed by the government to fix the grain standards for eastern Canada met to-day. They include Messrs. Thomson, Esdaile and McFee, of Montreal, and Brodie of Quebec. The samples of barley were found to be very much finer than was generally expected, and show that the crop this season, though rather lighter in sample than last year's, is very good.

An English Visitor.

Ottawa, Sept. 15.—H. L. W. Lawson, M. P., son of the proprietor of the Daily Telegraph, London, England, who is here to-day, called on Tupper and other members of the cabinet. He represents one of the divisions of Gloucester and is a Liberal. He goes as far as the Pacific coast, calling at Toronto and Winnipeg on the way.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

CABLE DISPATCHES.

Decrease of Profits at the Bank of England—The Czar's Health.

London, Sept. 14.—The governors of the Bank of England at their half-yearly meeting to-day declared a dividend of 4 per cent. The reason for the reduction is the decrease in profits, said to be due to the unprecedented increase in the reserve, due to the low value of money. Since February 28 the result of the Baring liquidation has been a reduction of £1,075,000, making the liability £2,481,985, and the debt due the bank, £2,409,000. It is believed that no loss will fall upon the guarantors.

News received from St. Petersburg indicates that the Czar's illness is cerebral, complicated with an ailment of the kidneys. Prayers for his recovery have been ordered twice at court. The Czar is mentally depressed and becomes tired after the shortest period of work.

The German government has completely closed part of the Russian frontier on account of cholera. Two cases of cholera were found to-day aboard a Rotterdam vessel docking at Duisburg on the Rhine.

If the steamship companies promising a fast Atlantic line of steamships of which Mr. Huddart is the active agent, accomplishes its purpose and becomes an accomplished fact, the chances in favor of Southampton becoming the English terminus are very strong.

In connection with the Chignecto ship railway it is stated here that the money to complete the work is ready when Canada decides to extend the time for two years from last July.

The majority of the miners in South Wales have cast their ballots in favor of giving the mine owners notice that they will no longer be bound by the sliding scale of weights now in force.

ECKELS TO THE BANKERS.

What the Comptroller of Currency Says About Finances.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 14.—The event of the second day's session of the Michigan State Bank Association's annual convention was the address of Hon. Jas. H. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, which was delivered yesterday morning. Mr. Eckels spoke at some length of the far reaching importance of banking; its commanding position in the financial and commercial world; its necessity to the country as the greatest source of business and activity, and the judgment and integrity so necessary to its successful management. He continued:

"Never was the importance of the banks so exemplified as during the distress of 1893. The severest strain of the unwise silver legislation fell in the first instance upon the banks of the country, causing depletion of deposits and necessary reductions of loans and discounts to meet the demands made upon them. These conditions were soon reflected in the decline of commerce, in stagnation of business and suspension of industries, the foreign investors depriving the banks of their resources, the people taking from them the means heretofore available for purposes of business. As the then deadened condition of the banks reflected the status of our commercial world, so now their increasing business causes the return of commrcial activity.

"Our country's return to prosperity, within the very order of things, will be substantial in character and long continued if the people on the one hand refrain from undue speculation and our national legislators on the other hand from crystallizing into law the financial vagaries of those who demand from the government a great volume of money without regard to the intrinsic or representative value. The banks can in a large measure check the speculative tendencies of the people and deny unto them a credit which their enterprises do not warrant. It rests with the people to say whethr they shall suffer from legislative folly.

"Unwise financial legislation always in the end falls on the mass of the people and brings upon them the greatest ruin. It may be long deferred, but the history of the opreation of every bad law upon the subject of the currency of the country proves the result of the assertion. If there be any in this state who doubt the truth of the statement let them read the history of the effect of the first financial legislation in Michigan, enacted immediately upon its admission to the union. Your distinguished citizen and jurist, Judge Cooley, sums it all up in these words: 'Such were the fruits of the experiment of giving equal and practically unlimited rights in banking to everybody who wanted a shorter road to wealth than that trodden by labor and industry.' The new state under the bold but inexperienced [illegible] governor, disdaining the lessons of history, had determined to try for itself the experiment of manufacture of money by the printing press. The condition after the experiment might be compared to a forest after a cyclone. Everything was prostrated and in confusion. One of its lessons was that neither real estate nor anything else not convertible into money can support the credit of bank currency."

BEHRING SEA PATROL.

American Officers Think England Failed in Her Duty.

Washington, Sept. 14.—All the Behring Sea fleet are preparing to sail, as the sealing season closed August 15. This will leave the Ranger, Yorktown, Alert, Mohican, Albatross and two revenue cutters, the Bear and Corwin, free for duty elsewhere, although the Corwin may remain in Alaskan waters.

Naval officers are disposed to think that Great Britain has not done her duty in carrying out the sealing agreement, since she kept but one small vessel in Behring Sea, leaving the lion's share of the work to the United States. Altogether they are not disposed to regard the experiment of patrolling the seal fishing waters as a success, so far as results in preventing infractions of the agreement by the sealers is concerned.

NO MORE SCIATICA.

Valentine Fisher Is Cured of His Troubles to Have No Return—He Is Doing a Flourishing Fruit Tree Business.

Collingwood, Sept. 15.—About a year ago a telegraphic dispatch from here told how Valentine Fisher, who had suffered for years from sciatica, and who was so crippled from the disease as to be unable to work and was generally thought to be at death's door, was cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. That the story was no fiction was known by all the citizens of this place. That the cure was a permanent one is now just as generally known, for since his recovery Mr. Fisher has been hard at work selling fruit trees for Chase Bros., of Rochester, N. Y., and has travelled the whole of this section for this firm with most gratifying success.

UNEARTHED AT BABYLON.

American Scientists Accomplishing Wonders at the Ancient City.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 14.—An account of the scientific exploration of the ruins of Niffer, near ancient Babylon, which is being made by American scientists under the auspices of the Babylonian exploration fund, which was subscribed by Philadelphians in 1888, has been furnished to the state department by Minister Terrell. The work of excavation was begun in 1887 by Dr. Hilprecht. From one hundred and fifty to two hundred and fifty Arabs are constantly employed. In the number of tablets, bricks, inscribd vases and in the value of cuniform texts, the American enterprise is said to rival the explorations of Layard at Nineveh. Dr. Hilprecht, the distinguished Assyrian scholar of the University of Pennsylvania, remains at the museum at the request of the Turkish government to translate inscriptions and arrange the tablets and other relics dating back 4000 B. C. Many tons of tablets, sarcophagi, and the like, have arrived at the museum at Constantinople, and the sultan, in recognition of the services of the American professors, has promised that the University of Pennsylvania shall receive one duplicate of each tablet.

Minister Terrell says this enterprise has revealed an antiquity of the human race nearly ten centuries older than science had any knowledge of before. The religion, government, habits of life, and, to a great extent, the customs of men who lived 4000 B. C., are revealed by the inscriptions which are now being translated here and arranged for Professor Hilprecht. Thus far twenty thousand inscribed tablets of stone and clay have been discovered, bearing inscriptions which include promises to pay debts, deeds, contracts and records of important public and private events.

California News.

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—A prominent fruit dealer of this city, when shown a dispatch from London stating that fruit dealers there are annoyed by the fact that no California fruit is arriving, gave a few facts why growers do not continue their shipments. "Sol Runyon," he said, "one of whose orchards is near Courtland on the Sacramento river, has been among the largest shippers in California. This year he sent thirty thousand cases to Chicago and some to London. A few days ago he got his returns, and they showed that after the freight, commission and brokerage had been paid there was an even $1,000 coming to him. That is for thirty thousand boxes of fruit He got 3 1-2 cents a box. But that is not all. The thirty thousand boxes cost him five cents apiece. It cost on an average five cents a box for picking and packing and five cents a box more for the paper in which the fruit is wrapped and for the hauling and shipping. Mr. Runyon lost not only his fruit, but is actually $3500 out of pocket. Mr. Runyon's case is not a solitary one; all the shippers have come out on the wrong side."

Oakland, Cal., Sept. 14.—At the session of the state Y. M. C. A. to-day D. Edward Collins, chairman of the state committee, reported that notwithstanding the scarcity of funds a state and a college secretary had both been kept in the field. State Secretary John L. Spears presented his report, in which he stated that new quarters had been secured at San Diego and new buildings erected at Redlands and San Francisco. He had travelled 143,320 miles during the year and had attended ninety meetings of associations and boards of directors and had assisted in raising $16,690. College [illegible] made a report of the work done in different colleges and academies, showing that almost all the towns in the state have associations established.

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Simply apply "Swayne's Ointment." No internal medicine required. Cures tetter, eczema, itch, all eruptions on the face, hands, nose, &c., leaving the skin clear, white and healthy. Its great healing and curative powers are possessed by no other remedy. Ask your druggist for Swayne's Ointment. Lyman, Sons & Co., Montreal, Wholesale agents. tfsaw

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AT REST.

Shall I lie down to sleep and see no more
The splendid affluence of earth and sky;
The proud procession of the stars go by;
The white moon sway the sea and woo the shore;
The morning lark to the far heavens soar;
The nightingale with the soft dusk draw nigh;
The summer roses bud, and bloom, and die;
Will life and life's delight for me be o'er?
Nay! I shall be, in my low, silent home,
Of all earth's gracious ministeries aware;
Glad with the gladness of the risen day,
Or gently sad with the sadness of the gloam,
Yet done with striving and foreclosed of care—
"At rest—at rest!"—what better thing to say?

—Louise Chandler Moulton.

When the hair begins to fall out or turn gray, the scalp needs doctoring, and we know of no better specific than Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

A Touching Dilemma.

A citizen of Montreal lately on a visit to Ottawa, while passing down the hotel corridor to his room at a late hour, happened to hear violent groans and sobs issuing from one of the rooms. As the door was open, he entered and recognized a fellow Montrealer, prominent in political and business circles, and famous for his religious and alcoholic tendencies. He was kneeling at his bedside, clinging to the side of the bed, and sobbing as though his heart would break.

"What's the matter, old man?" inquired our friend, touching the sufferer on the shoulder.

"I'm so drunk I can't say my prayers," was the tearful response.

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Oshawa, Ont.

Pains in the Joints

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A Perfect Cure by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"It affords me much pleasure to recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla. My son was afflicted with great pain in the joints, accompanied with swelling so bad that he could not get up stairs to bed without crawling on hands and knees. I was very anxious about him, and having read so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla, I determined to try it, and got a half-dozen bottles, four of which entirely cured him." MRS. G. A. LAKE, Oshawa, Ontario.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Hood's Pills act easily, yet promptly and efficiently, on the liver and bowels. 25c.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under instructions from Alexander Urquhart, executor of Donald Urquhart deceased, the mortgagee, and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage bearing date the second day of December, 1890, and made between Thomas Stamper Milligan, late of Victoria, B. C., of the one part and Donald Urquhart, of Victoria, B. C., of the other part, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of Friday, the 12th day of October for the purchase of all that certain parcel or tract of land being the western half (W 1-2) of all that parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the city of Victoria and marked and numbered Lot No. Two (2), on the official map of Medina Grove deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria aforesaid on the 27th day of September, A.D. 1890, being the sub-division map or plan of sub-sections XVIII, XIX, XXI, and XXII, the said Medina Grove being now better known as Beckley Farm and the premises herein described as the western half (W 1-2) of Lot Two (2) of Section 19 thereof. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Dated the 11th day of September, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria,
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart,
Executor of D. Urquhart, deceased.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under instructions from Alexander Urquhart, executor of Donald Urquhart deceased, the mortgagee, and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage bearing date the 7th day of April, 1892, and made between John Leonard of Victoria city, B. C., of the one part and Donald Urquhart of Victoria city aforesaid of the other part, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, the 12th day of October, for the purchase of all that and those pieces or parcels of land situate in Victoria city known as sub-lots numbers (23) twenty-three, (24) twenty-four, (29) twenty-nine and (30) thirty, being a subdivision of section (24) twenty-four, according to a plan of sub-division of sections 24, 25, 26, and 27, Spring Ridge, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, numbered 360 and the dwelling house and buildings thereon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated the 11th day of September, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C.
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart, executor of D. Urquhart, deceased. s11-1m

Notice of Assignment.

[illegible] Act and amending Acts notice is hereby given that by indenture dated and executed on the 27th day of August, 1894, by Ell Beam, of 130 St. Catharine street, in the city of Victoria, contractor, the said Ell Beam granted and assigned his real and personal property to John Fullerton, of 103 Government street, in the said city of Victoria, boot and shoe merchant, in trust for the creditors of the said Ell Beam.

John Fullerton executed the deed and accepted the trust thereby created on the 27th day of August, 1894.

All persons indebted to the said Ell Beam are requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the said trustee and every person having any claim against the said Ell Beam must send proof and full particulars of same to the said trustee within one month from this date, after which date the said trustee will distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to claims so sent in.

A meeting of the creditors will be held on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, at 2:30 p.m., at the office of the undersigned.

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THE EASTERN WAR.

Now Reported That Coreans Have Risen Against the Japanese.

Shanghai, Sept. 14.—News from Fusan confirms the statement that practically the whole of southern Corea has risen against the Japanese, and reports the rout of a Japanese force of two thousand men who attempted to march from Fusan to Seoul. A portion of the force was compelled to return to the treaty port, only 800 men getting there. Two thousand fresh troops have arrived at Fusen to guard the Japanese settlement against a feared attack by armed Tonghaks.

General Lin Yung Fu, a Black Flag chief af Annam, has received orders to depart for Formosa as assistant to the imperial highway commissioner.

A great conflagration is reported to have occurred at Chunking on August 25. About 30 persons are known to have perished, and it is probable that the list of the dead will prove much heavier. The property loss is estimated at ten million taels. Two thousand buildings were destroyed, including three temples. No foreign houses were burned.

Rumors have reached here of the battle fought between the Chinese and Japanese near Kaircheng, Corea, about Sept. 2. Native newspapers of September 10 say that the fight lasted two days and was still undecided when the news was forwarded to the native press. Chinese papers of Sept. 12 announce that General Yeh, the Chinese commander, reports having gained a victory over the Japanese.

It is supposed here, however, that the Chinese have met with a reverse at Pingyhng. The floods in Corea still prevent the Chinese troops from crossing the Imchin river to attack the Japanese intrenchments.

London, Sept. 14.—In regard to the sensational stories circulated by a news agency, Sir Halliday McCartney, counsellor of the Chinese embassy here, has written a letter saying there is no foundation whatever for the reports of disorderly conduct by the Chinese troops so "wantonly and assiduously circulated." He asserts that there never has been a moment's uneasiness either among the foreigners or the native population on account of the conduct of the viceroy's soldiers.

San Francisco, Sept. 14.—The Baron von Grutscheiber, for three years past military adviser for Japan and head of the imperial academy in Tokio, has arrived in this city. The baron is returning to his native land. He has been in many wars and takes a great interest in military matters. He was not inclined to go into details, however, except in a few particulars. The Baron left Yokohama on August 26 and only knows of what has occurred since then by the press dispatches. The commander-in-chief of the Japanese army now is Count Yamagati. General Ogava is chief of the general staff, while Baron Nosen and General Katzura are leading commanders of the five at the head of as many divisions.

At present there are about thirty thousand Japanese troops mobilized in Corea, with seventy thousand at home. Besides this there is a vast reserve now in arms that may be called out at any moment as occasion requires. Ito has command of the naval fleet. It includes 35 vessels, of which 22 are in Corean waters. Japan at present has three military harbors, Yokosuka, Kobe and Sasetao. The base of supplies is Shimono-Zeeki. The troops in Japan are not mobilized. There are five divisions there, one division having 50,000 men. It is a mistake that China has not a good navy. The vessels are larger and better than those of Japan, but the men are not good fighting material. Japan, in regard to both army and navy, is well equipped. Her soldiers and sailors are as well drilled as those of the foremost nations. China's soldiers as yet amount to nothing.

London, Sept. 14.—The Times will publish to-morrow this dispatch sent from Shanghai via Tientsin: "The Japanese in force attempted to surprise the Chinese at Pingyang on the night of the 12th, but were repulsed with heavy slaughter. The native corps impeded the Japanese and helped the Chinese. Japanese ships have resumed scouting in the Gulf of Pechili."

In pursuance of an agreement with the Chinese and Japanese government the British war office will send a surgeon and a military attache to each of the hostile armies.

PEN PORTRAITS OF BEAUTIES.

A Group Selected from Recent Works of Fiction.

Current Literature has selected the following description from recent novels:

Countess Radna—Was she the most beautiful woman he had ever seen? Certainly she was not at all like the rest of the world. Her wavy brown hair was drawn up and back from her low, broad forehead; her eyes were of that dark blue color which is rarely seen out of Ireland; her complexion was almost unnaturally perfect (although the credit of having produced it belonged to nature alone); her little straight nose, her short upper lip and her rounded chin proclaimed the nobility of her birth, as did also the pose of her head and the grace of her movements. She had diamonds of great size round her neck and in her hair; otherwise her costume was simple enough. She reminded him of miniatures representing beauties of the last century.—From the Countess Radna, by W. E. Norris.

Esther Water—She wore a faded yellow dress and a black jacket too warm for the day. A girl of twenty, short, strongly built, with short, strong arms. Her neck was plump, and her hair of so ordinary a brown that it passed unnoticed. The nose was too thick, but the nostrils were well formed. The eyes were grey, luminous and veiled with dark lashes. But it was only when she laughed that her face lost its habitual expression, which was somewhat sullen; then it flowed with humor. She laughed now, showing a white line of almond-shaped teeth.—Esther Water, by George Moore.

Adelica Tems—Adelica had an oval face, with a little, round, unassertive chin, a thin, delicate, aquiline nose, a small mouth with full lips, the indenture in the upper one so deep as to make it truly like a bow, and widely opened gray eyes that resembled nothing so much as moss agates. They were veiled by long, reddish lashes, and the hair that hung curling down the nape of her neck was of a dull, copper color. Her complexion was exceedingly light, and she had that thin skinned look which is incompatible with freckels as annuals; in those milk white spaces about the eyes were tokens of the sunny weather which even the days of winter cannot obliterate. Her figure was slender and she did not look strong.—From His Vanquished Star, by Charles Egbert Craddock.

Violet Tressilian—She was a universal favorite, and yet no one knew exactly why they liked her. She was one of those girls who really haven't a feature, if you try to dissect their appearance; but, taken as a whole, she was decidedly attractive, and even pretty. Her face was round and smooth and childlike, her slightly turned up nose and mischievous eyes gave a suggestion of deviltry, and when her cherry lips parted, as they constantly did in sunny smiles, they revealed a dazzling set of pearly teeth. Great waves of golden hair were hemmed in under a sailor hat, trimmed with dark blue ribbon, chosen out of compliment to Harrow. She wore a well fitting tailor made dress of thin blue cloth, which gave a hint of horsiness and served to show off her compact figure.—From the Green Bay Tree, by W. H. Wilkins and Herbert Vivian.

Marian Johnstone—I might fairly have been described by a forward looking eye as what you would call a tolerably fair match. I was tall, young, well made girl, broad but in proportion, and they used to tell me that I carried my figure with the grace of a professional dancer. I was exactly opposite to my mother in color. My hair was black as the wings of a raven; my eyes very black and filled with a strong light which brightened to a look of fever in times of excitement; my complexion was pale but clear; my teeth large, but white and regular, and I showed them much in talking and laughing. I will not deny that my charms—and handsome I was—inclined to coarseness, I mean they leaned toward the manly rather than the womanly side.—From the Romance of Transport, by Charles Russell.

Bernadine Holme—The girl who had passed the Yorkshire relish sat silent and listless, her food untouched and her wine untasted. She was tall and thin, her face looked haggard. She was a new-comer, and had, indeed, arrived at Petershof only two hours before the table d'hote bell rang. But there did not seem to be any nervous shrinking in her manner, nor any shyness at having to face the 250 guests of the Kurhaus. She seemed rather to be unaware of their presence; or, if aware of, indifferent to, the scrutiny.—From Ships That Pass in the Night, by Beatrice Harraden.

Cheap Jack Zita—From out the dark interior stepped the girl, and the sunshine flashed over her, lighting her auburn hair, rich as burnished copper. She wore a green, scarlet and yellow flowered kerchief tied across her bosom and knotted behind her back. Bound around her waist was a white apron.—From Cheap Jack Zita, by S. Baring-Gould.

Jessamine Halliday—From her mirror looked back to her a small oval face, with a dash of color in the cheeks, exquisite lips, red like cherries, a short dimpled chin, and underneath the wing-like eyebrows a pair of large dark eyes with storm in them. The color and the storm were new. She took a knot of pale primrose and then of cream ribbon and tried them against her cheek, but neither satisfied her. A bit of red sweet william with other flowers stood in a vase on her mantelpiece; she tried that. The rich deep velvety hue suited, she saw in a moment, the flame-like signals in her cheeks, the new ripeness in her lips, the wild, strange light in her eyes. A laugh of triumph parted her lips, making her pearly teeth glitter, and dimpling with tender, mischievous touches the pretty curves of her chin and cheeks. She threw down the glass, and lifted her lovely arms, clasping her hands behind her head. "I am beautiful! beautiful! beautiful!" cried she in a strange fervor of conviction.—A Superfluous Woman.

A Heroine in Keynotes—Her face is more characteristic than beautiful. Nine men would pass it, the tenth sell his immortal soul for it. The chin is strong; the curve of the jaw determined; there is a little full place under the chin's sharp point. The eyes tell you little; they are keen and inquiring, and probe others' thoughts rather than reveal their own. The whole face is one of peculiar strength and self-reliance. The mouth is its contradiction; the passionate curve of the upper lip with its mobile corners, and the tender little under lip are encouraging promises against its strength. —From Keynotes, by George Egerton.

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THE NANAIMO RECEPTION.

To the Editor:—"Like master, like man," goes the old saying, and like the small-minded Colonist, so its correspondent at Nanaimo. "Monkeys copy their masters," and so this young man, taking as an example the drivel he sees dished out as criticism of an honest opponent of the Colonist, does his little best to be like the "old man." Now, as a matter of fact Mr. Laurier had a reception at Nanaimo that could not fail to please; he did not have a brass band, (paid for with government money, like the Conservative leaders at several places) but he was kept busy for a considerable time returning the warm handshakings of old timers. As to the lunch, (which was an informal affair) I will leave the many old props of the country in early days, who sat down to that table, to deal with this smart young man. His misrepresentation as to the character of the reception of Mr. Laurier at Wellington is nothing more than a wilful piece of lying, for he was not there, and therefore knows nothing about it. The facts are that Mr. Laurier did not intend to hold any meeting; that the people insisted on hearing a few words from him; that a hall was opened after the mines were inspected, and a meeting of some one hundred miners, all perfectly in sympathy (with the exception of a drunken Conservative) was held, the feeling manifested being all that a Liberal could wish.

With regard to the mass meeting at Nanaimo, there was seemingly no one more carried away by the eloquence of the speakers than this young man himself, and spoke no uncertain sound, as at the next election Nanaimo would no doubt show. It is well known that Mr. Laurier was opposed to any extravagant demonstrations; he came, he said, to see and speak to the people, especially the Conservative people, and not to be feasted by his followers and believers whose loyalty he could always reckon on. The generally public and affectionate greeting that has been accorded to him all along has been in marked contrast to the cold water hospitality shown to Messrs. Foster and Angers in this hitherto stronghold of Toryism, and so the Colonist, snorting under the sting, and the too evident turn in the tide of public opinion, has adopted its old trick of lying and misrepresentation. When I see in the Colonist a fair report of an opponent I will turn Tory, but I am afraid my conversion will never come about on these terms.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

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Four men may eat green fruit with impunity, but a fifth may try the experiment and an hour or so later be tied up in knots with cramps and dysentery. Who the fifth man will be is one of those things no fellow can find out, and consequently all should take time by the forelock, and prepare for such an attack by keeping on hand a bottle of Perry Davis' Pain Killer which is a safe, quick and infallible cure for diarrhœa, cholera, cramps, or, indeed, any disorder of the stomach. This excellent medicine can be bought at any reputable drug store. 25 cents will purchase the Big Bottle. New size.

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Land Registry Office, Victoria, 16th August, 1894. a17-1m

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the "Trustees and Executors Act" that all persons having any claim against the estate of George Henry Babbage, deceased, late of H. M. S. Royal Arthur, who died at Esquimalt, B. C., on 10th June, 1894, and of whose estate William Harrison was on 18th August, inst., appointed administrator by the Supreme Court of British Columbia, are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to me on or before 20th November, 1894, after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which notice shall have then been given.

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The Daily Times.

THE NANAIMO RECEPTION.

It would be useless to dispute with our contemporary about the enthusiasm evinced at Nanaimo during Mr. Laurier's visit to that city. The matter is not, perhaps, one of very great importance, and excepting that the feeble efforts of the Colonist to minimize the effects of the visit of the leader of the opposition are supported by falsehoods, which are known to be such by thousands of people, very little notice would be taken of them by the readers of that paper. The reception at Nanaimo, we have reason to know, pleased Mr. Laurier and his friends. A very large number of citizens—several hundred at least—were at the depot to welcome the party to the city. They were very cordial in their greeting, although, it is quite true, no shouting or hurrahing was indulged in. The party was driven to the hotel in carriages, and there luncheon was partaken of hurriedly to permit of the departure of the visitors to Wellington at 2 p.m. At the luncheon, the correspondent says, no prominent citizen was present save the police magistrate. Besides Mr. Planta, Superintendent Sharp, Marshal Bray, Mark Bate, Ald. Cocking, T. Keith and others were present. Ald. Wilson, Tully Boyce and other prominent Liberals were unavoidably absent. The gentlemen named are all prominent in Nanaimo. At Wellington an impromptu meeting was held, and it was well attended. The sympathy of the audience was undoubtedly with the speakers, and the applause was frequent and unstinted. At the meeting in Nanaimo the opera house was crowded to the door. Hon. Messrs. Laurier and Fraser received a splendid hearing, the only interruptions being the frequent and hearty outbursts of applause that came from every quarter of the room. Throughout the city, flags were flying in honor of the visitors and at the hotel nearly all the "prominent" citizens—including Mr. Haslam, M. P., called to pay their respects to the Liberal leader. These are the facts, and in face of them it is absurd to say the reception of the Liberal leaders by the citizens of Nanaimo was anything else than satisfactory. From first to last it was warm and generous, and to the visitors at all events it appeared to have the cordial support of all classes of the community. In proportion to numbers, Nanaimo and Wellington were in no way behind Victoria in their efforts to make the visit of the Liberal chieftain a success both socially and politically. Any other statement—apart from being a perversion of the facts—is a stupid libel upon the people.

A WASTE OF EFFORT.

The Colonist has produced a new group of witnesses against Mr. Laurier, composed of Dalton McCarthy and the St. John Sun. Mr. McCarthy, it so happens, is precisely in the same position as Mr. Laurier so far as the outlining of his policy is concerned, and therefore he condemns himself if he condemns the Liberal leader. He asserts that the third party, of which he is the head, is certain to gain the balance of power at the next election, and therefore will be able to frame the policy under which the country will live. Has anybody heard Mr. McCarthy set forth that policy in detail? None that we know of. He has stated most distinctly that the country has had too much of "protection," and that it is high time to change, but he has not yet undertaken to give more than the general outlines of the course he would pursue if he were in power. Nor would it be reasonable to ask him to do so. Therefore, while Mr. McCarthy as a former upholder of the N. P. is now a most important witness against it, he cannot be considered a formidable critic when he undertakes to find fault with a proposed substitute policy as vague and "trimming" when it is more clearly defined than his own. As to the St. John Sun we need say nothing more than it is Tory to the most extreme degree. There is one important fact which all Mr. Laurier's critics seem to forget—that it is quite useless to tell the people who hear his speeches falsehoods in regard to them. The Colonist and its friends must have reached an advanced stage of imbecility if they expect their readers to throw aside their own judgment and accept the opinions of such interested critics. If Mr. Laurier's speeches were delivered in private, where only the self-constituted interpreters could hear him, then they might have some hope of palming off their misrepresentations on the public, but when so many people have the opportunity of listening to the speeches the effort to misrepresent seems worse than useless.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Winnipeg Free Press:—By the use of a specially constructed telescope an astronomer claims to have discovered vegetation on the moon. Perhaps, by the aid of such an instrument and a vivid imagination, it might be possible to discover, somewhere in this western country, the beneficial effects of Mr. Daly's vigorous immigration policy.

"Addressing a Conservative gathering at St. Vincent de Paul yesterday, Hon. Mr. Ouimet, referring to the Manitoba school question, claimed that the Conservative party had never intended that any part of the country's population should suffer in their religious rights, as civil and religious liberty have always been and always will continue to be the party watchword." The gentlemen who affect to condemn Mr. Laurier's utterances as "shifty" and "indefinite" will of course hold up Mr. Ouimet's speech as a model of clearness and straightforwardness.

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For men, women and children. Their own manufacture. Every pair guaranteed. Russell & McDonald, 134 Douglas street.

THE CHURCHES.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West—Services at the usual hours. Rev. D. MacRae, pastor.

First Presbyterian Church, corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets. Rev. Dr. Campbell, pastor. Rev. Professor Baird, of the Presbyterian College, Winnipeg, will preach in the forenoon, and the Rev. A. B. Winchester, who leaves for China on Monday, will give a farewell address in the evening. Sabbath School and bible class at 2:30.

Central Presbyterian Church, corner of Kingston and Oswego streets, James Bay. The pastor, Rev. P. McF. McLeod, will preach morning and evening.

Centennial Methodist Church, Rev. J. Hall, pastor. 11 a.m., "The Transfiguration"; part 2, "The Men of Prayer." 7 p.m., "The Brazen Serpent Uplifted; a Type of Christ."

Metropolitan Methodist Church, Pandora Avenue and Quadra streets. Services as usual at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by Rev. G. C. King.

King's Road Mission, corner of Third St. Evangelical Church of England. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. At 3 p.m. the Sunday School fruit and flower service will be held and special hymns sung. At the close of the evening's service the offerings will be given to the sick. Parents and friends are invited to be present.

There will be a "Men's Rally" at the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Mr. George Carter, of Seattle, will speak on the subject "Here am I."

St. Andrew's Presbyterian, pastor, Rev. W. L. Clay, B.A. In the morning Rev. A. B. Winchester, who leaves for China on Monday, will preach and in the evening the pastor. Sabbath School and bible class at 2:30 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. Thomas Baldwin, pastor. Subject for morning, "Doing the Impossible"; subject for evening, "Isaac on the Altar, and its lessons." Sunday School at 3 p.m.; young people's meeting at 6:15.

Rev. F. Hanser of the German Lutheran church of Port Angeles will hold services in this city on Sunday, Sept. 16, at the Reformed Episcopal schoolroom, Humboldt street, at 10:30 a.m. All Germans are invited to attend.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Awarded Gold Medal Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

C. P. R. TACTICS.

Intermediate Point Passengers Make Up for the Low Through Rates.

It is believed that the threatened passenger rate war, originating in the differences between the Great Northern and the Canadian Pacific railways as to the rate from Pacific coast points to New York city, will end in smoke, says the Seattle Telegraph. There is no question but the Great Northern has everything to lose and nothing to gain by inaugurating a rate war against the Canadian road for various reasons, among them that the Canadian Pacific railroad, because it practically has tracks clear from Seattle to Montreal, can afford to make a lower rate in the event of a cut than the Great Northern, which must pay the lines from St. Paul to Chicago and the trunk lines from Chicago their fixed regular charges, approximating $30. The Canadian Pacific would only have to pay the fixed tariff from Montreal to New York, about $10. Furthermore, the Great Northern, in cutting rates to its lowest minimum, would have to give intermediate points the full benefit of the low rates, thus sacrificing their local revenue, which is the great source of their revenue. The Canadian Pacific has never applied the sum of the through rate from Vancouver to New York, or to Boston or any other points, from intermediate points; on the contrary, towns and cities four hundred miles east of Vancouver are compelled to pay a much higher rate than Vancouver to eastern points, whether in Canada or the United States. Take, for instance, Revelstoke, which is 376 miles nearer New York or Montreal than Vancouver, where (Revelstoke) the rate is so excessive that a passenger could pay a local rate to Vancouver and purchase a through ticket to New York and save money, if he ate nothing and could sleep in an ordinary car in making the journey from Revelstoke to Vancouver and return. Being a subsidized road, having no need to pare down their local rates to the basis of through rates, as the American roads are compelled to do by the interstate commerce law, the Canadian Pacific could well afford to continue the war on rates for an indefinite period. Not only this, but they could put rates into Great Northern and Northern Pacific territory in Minnesota and North Dakota in connection with their Soo line which would slaughter the great business of the two roads in question and yet not hurt the Canadian Pacific line in the least, because they have comparatively nothing to lose in that territory.

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The Leeds Mercury says that Mr. Campbell-Bannerman has found a recruiting sergeant who may be the harbinger of success. This sergeant wears no uniform, flaunts no ribbons, waits at no public house, is, wonderful to say, a lady. Miss Gould has for many years been known for her work among the vilest in London, and has lately turned her attention to young thieves. Having got hold of them she never feels safe about them until they have accepted the Queen's shilling. The reason she gives is worth noting. It is not so much the industry and discipline, as the severe way theft is punished among the soldiers themselves. Everything in the army has to be paid for, and money is scarce; a detected thief is not usually reported, but when night comes he and a riding whip make the most intimate acquaintance. If other good workers in the same line follow Miss Gould, a knotty question will be solved.

Smoke Derby Plug Smoking Tobacco. Take no other. "Union" Make.

S. P. SMITH, of Towanda, Pa., whose constitution was completely broken down, is cured by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. He writes:

"For eight years, I was, most of the time, a great sufferer from constipation, kidney trouble, and indigestion, so that my constitution seemed to be completely broken down. I was induced to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and took nearly seven bottles, with such excellent results that my stomach, bowels, and kidneys are in perfect condition, and, in all their functions, as regular as clock-work. At the time I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, my weight was only 129 pounds; I now can brag of 159 pounds, and was never in so good health. If you could see me before and after using, you would want me for a travelling advertisement. I believe this preparation of Sarsaparilla to be the best in the market to-day."

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Cures others, will cure you

PERSONAL.

Rev. S. Cleaver is visiting Okanagan.

C. H. Shattuck, of ink fame, is in the city.

Alex. McEwen, of Clinton, is at the Oriental.

S. M. Robins returned to Nanaimo this morning.

James C. Drake and wife of Tacoma are at the Driard.

Mrs. H. E. Connon returned from the Sound yesterday.

Joseph Hunter, M.P.P., and Mrs. Hunter returned last evening from Portland.

Sir Joseph Trutch returned last evening from an official visit to the Hall mine, Kootenay.

Rev. A. B. Baird, of Winnipeg, has arrived on a visit to the missions on the west coast.

H. J. Scott, of the Hamilton Powder Co., returned last evening from a business trip to Osoyoos.

C. Sweeney, of the Bank of Montreal, Vancouver; John Wilson, of the Brunette Saw-mills, New Westminster; and J. A. Fullerton, of the C. P. R., Vancouver, registered at the Driard last evening.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Rosalie from the Sound—J F Wilson, J D Davie, R V Munro, W R Lyle, R J Phillips, Moi Wing, — Buttler, J Smith, F V Moffet, D M Willis.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer City of Puebla from San Francisco—A McGregor & Son, Bissinger & Co, Brackman & Ker M Co, C A Bossi, Chas Meriset, Colonist Print & Pub Co, Dick Chong, D H Ross & Co, E B Marvin & Co, E G Prior & Co, Erskine Wall & Co, Fow Yuen, Gan Fook Yuen, Hudson Bay Co, Hinton & Penney, Jas Leigh & Son, John Leahy, John Barnsley & Co, J H Todd & Son, J & A Clarahue, care Dunsmuir & Sons, Langley & Co, M Bantly, Northwest Prod Co, Nicholles & Renouf Ltd, O'Brien & Marrelman, P McQuade & Son, Province Pub Co, Pither & Leiser, R Baker & Son, R P Rithet & Co, S Leiser, Saranth Candy Factory, S M Hartman, Taylor Mill Co, Turner Beeton & Co, Todd & Son, Victoria Iron Works Co, Victoria Machy Depot, Phoenix Brew Co, Valo & Brooks, Wing Chong, Wilson Bros, Ying Chong Lung, Yuen Lung, Jameson & Co, West & Vane Tram Co, W C White, John Trebell, Lun Kee, C S Philip, Chas Anderson, F R Stewart, McMillan & H. Stewart & L, Winch & Bower, Wells Fargo & Co.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Valo & Brooks, S Leiser & Co, Mrs Anthony, John Wilson & Co, C N Cameron, B C Paper Co, Northwest Produce Co, Atkinson & Zermekle, Jas Dougan.

—Do you drink beer? Drink the best Milwaukee, five cents at the Delmonico hotel.

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Cuts, Burns, Corns, Bruises, Chilblains, Bunions, Cracks between the Toes, Scalds, Piles, Swellings, Ulcers, Stiff Joints, Old Sores, Inflammation of all kinds, Lame Back, Pimples, Rheumatism, Pustules, Caked Breasts, Eruptions, Diseased Tendons, Contracted Muscles, And all Lameness and Soreness.
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To the Electors: See Our Special Line of WALL PAPERS, then vote. J. W. MELLOR, Fort Street, Above Douglas.

"CORONAS," $4 per doz.
Former price $7, and a large
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"Coronas are the latest and most beautiful style of Photo, larger than Cabinets and finished on heavy embossed white enamel mounts. Skene Lowe, 63 Government street.

BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in Condensed Form.

—Oil stoves at McLennan & McFeely's. *

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

—We are selling some odd curtains, etc., and the funny part of them is the price. Weller Bros. *

—The Vancouver Island building society will draw for its seventy-sixth appropriation on Friday next.

—The Daughters of England will give a social and dance next Thursday at Sir William Wallace hall.

—Your child needs healthful exercise. We have swinging clubs and dumb bells. Wieler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street. *

—Wm. Reed got drunk yesterday and $10 bail was put up for his appearance in court this morning. He failed to turn up and the bail was forfeited. Fred Garge, on the same charge, was convicted and dismissed.

—A telephone outfit is to be sent north to Bella Coola. It will connect the old and the new towns and will be for the use of Indians principally. It only shows how rapidly the Indian takes up any accommodating kind of civilization.

—The members of the school of instruction being conducted by Major Rawstorne are at Work Point barracks, where they are parading this afternoon. The men have been served with blue duck regulation fatigue uniforms and were ordered to report to them to-day. There will be no session of the school of instruction to-night. The members of the school seem very much satisfied with their progress.

—Prince Gregory Galitzin, lieutenant general in the Russian army, senator and member of the imperial council of state at St. Petersburg, who spent several days in this city last week, has arrived in San Francisco. He leaves shortly for Yokohama. It is said that besides his colonization scheme he has an important commission in connection with the Corean war.

—It frequently happens that at the very time your require the address of a certain manufacturer you do not know where to locate him. Make a note of the matter while it interests you! McCausland & Son, 68, King street, W., Toronto, should always be remembered when stained, leaded, beveled, silvered or bent glass is wanted. Their church and memorial windows, also their art glass for dwellings, received the highest award at Chicago. Write them if interested.

—The Rev. M. Ellison, of Metchosin, drove into the city on Thursday afternoon and with the aid of a small boy and a lantern built two picket fences across the Craigflower road at the corner of Edward and Catherine streets, Victoria West. He owns the property known as the "Knoll," and claims that road is a part of his lot. The matter will probably be ventilated in the courts. Those who have been using the road claim that the rev. gentleman has no right to close a road that was surveyed and gazetted long before Victoria West came into the city limits.

—The new I. O. O. F. lodge, Peerless, No. 33, was instituted yesterday afternoon by Acting Grand Master W. E. Holmes, assisted by the following staff of grand officers: A. Henderson, D.G.M.; J. H. Meldram, G. W.; F. Davey, G. S.; A. Graham, G. T.; J. E. Phillips, G. M.; C. W. Ross, G. C.; A. Gould, G. G. The following officers were then elected: T. E. Waller, N. G.; W. Hanna, V. G.; Sidney Wilson, sec.; D. McMillan, treas.; A. Fraser, warden. The lodge was adjourned until 7.30 p.m., when seventy-five members were given the initiatory degree. The balance of some [illegible] were left until next Friday evening.

An invitation is extended by Acme lodge to confer the first degree on all brothers initiated, so desiring, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Officers and members of Acme lodge will please accept this notice.

—Delmonico hotel, Milwaukee beer 5 cents. *

—The steamship Empress of China leaves on Monday for the Orient.

—Fine fishing rods and tackle at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra calf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

—The steamship Warrimoo will sail for the antipodes to-morrow afternoon. She will be down from Vancouver during the afternoon.

—Late last evening the steamer City of Puebla docked at the outer wharf. She brought from San Francisco a number of passengers and 123 tons of freight for Victoria.

—Last evening the steamer Barbara Boscowitz sailed for the north via Vancouver. At the latter place she will take on a large number of Norwegians, who came west to settle at Bella Bella.

—George H. Ham, an old time Winnipeg newspaper man, is in the city renewing old acquaintances among the many Victorians who were in the Prairie City during boom days. Mr. Ham is now travelling advertising agent for the C. P. R., and registers from Montreal.

—The appeal in the case of Paisley v. Kitchen will be heard at the next sitting of the county court at Chilliwack, October 18. Mr. Kitchen has entered another complaint against Mr. Paisley in respect to his action as collector of votes at the late election, but the particulars have not as yet been made known.

—The steamship Umatilla sails this evening for San Francisco, the following cabin passengers going from Victoria: A. S. Aspland, J. W. Scott, J. A. Halstead, Miss M. C. Scott, Miss E. M. Halstead, Mrs. B. Levy and child, Mrs. C. E. Balbridge, Joseph Brittain, Miss M. E. Brittain, Mrs. H. Marr and Miss E. A. Marr.

—Algernon S. Aspland leaves to-night for San Francisco, where he goes to further pursue his favorite study, music and singing. He will also be heard there in concerts. Mr. Aspland is certainly a most promising tenor, and if he continues to improve will make his mark in the musical world. Victorians will always take a special interest in his career.

—The British bark Eaton Hall, captain Lawrison, arrived in Royal Roads this morning, just 160 days from Liverpool. She has a general cargo consigned to Robert Ward & Co., limited. The long trip was caused by heavy winds off the River Plate and in rounding the Horn, and light winds coming up the coast. On the whole the trip was an uneventful one. On Monday morning she will come in to the wharf to be discharged by Cates & McDermott, the stevedores. Amongst the Eaton Hall's cargo is the paper shell for the James Bay Athletic association.

—George Wilson got himself into a peck of trouble last night at a house on Government street. He was full and got into a row with his room mate, Wm. Irvine, and gave him a good beating. Then he assaulted a female cook named Mary Van Waisen. In police court to-day Wilson did not help his case by swearing to some vile things about the woman. He was convicted on both of the counts, and for the first was fined $30 and $2 costs with the option of two months in jail, and for the second the same amount of money, but four months in jail, and as the sentences do not run concurrently it will be six months before he will be free.

—Mr. George Carter, pioneer secretary of the Northwest, is in the city in the interests of the local Young Men's Christian association. Mr. Carter said in conversation: "Yes, I am here in the interests of your association, and I trust, for the benefit of your young men and for the sustaining of the credit of your city along philanthropic lines of work, that my visit may be successful. Victoria is an important point in association work, and we are anxious that it may be maintained and become the centre for this work in the province. Young men coming to your city from the east are used to the privileges of the association, and many come with letters of introduction directly to the association, expecting to make it a centre. Business men who are sustaining the work in the east, and in fact all over the world, expect that as they support the work for the young men who come to their city, other cities will do the same for their young men. It is a universal work, and should be sustained. A young man from your city with a letter of introduction to associations anywhere in the world never need want for friends or for a centre where he may get reliable information. I hope to have the pleasure of meeting your business men on Monday at 4 o'clock at the board of trade rooms. The meeting is not for the purpose of raising finances; it is simply a conference of business men for suggestions, discussion and what they consider will be the best methods for future work."

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BUSINESS CHANCE.
W. G. PRICE, Esq., late steward of the Union Club of this city, having purchased an undivided half interest in the saloon of the London Hotel is hereby acknowledged to be a full partner in said business from and after this date.
CALIFORNIA WINE CO., Ltd.,
C. L. Jackson, Manager.
N.B.—Mr. Price will feel pleased to see his old friends in his new garb at the corner of Johnson and Broad streets.
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 10th, 1894.

Vancouver Island Building Society
The 76th drawing in the above Society will be held in Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Friday, the 21st September, 1894, at 7:30 p.m.
See that your shares are not in arrears.
By order,
B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.
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Watches cleaned, 75 cts; Best Mainsprings 75 cts; Pivoting Wheels, 75 cts; Staffs and Pinions, $1.25; Clocks Cleaned, 50 cts. Jewelry repaired on short notice, on premises, at very low figures.

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Beaver Line, Lake Nepigon	Oct. 3

From New York.

Cunard Line, Campania	Sept 22
Cunard Line, Servia	Sept 25
White Star Line, Britannic	Sept 26
White Star Line, Majestic	Oct. 3
American Line, Paris	Sept. 26
American Line, Berlin	Oct. 3
Nor. German Lloyd, Ems	Sept. 22
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Saloon fares from $40 to $90, according to steamer and location of berth. Second cabin, $25 to $40. Steerage, $15 to $25. Passengers purchasing through tickets save from $5 to $10 on each fare. Parties wishing to send for their friends can save $10 by purchasing through tickets here. For sailing list, steamer accommodation and all information, apply to
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Cor. Fort and Government streets.

TAKING A FRIEND'S ADVICE.

MR. THOMAS ADAMS TELLS THE HAPPY RESULTS THAT FOLLOWED.

He Was Suffering From a Severe Attack of Rheumatism—Would Have Given Anything to Secure Relief—How a Cure Was Brought About.

From the Brantford Courier.

A brief statement in respect to the recovery of Mr. Thomas Adams, of St. George, will no doubt be of considerable interest to suffering humanity in general and particularly to those who may profit somewhat by the experiences hereinafter set forth. Mr. Adams is a stone mason by trade and resides about a mile east of St. George. At present he is operating the Patten Mills and is well known and respected in the neighborhood. In order to gain all the information possible concerning the circumstances of the cure, a representative of the Courier proceeded thither to investigate the case. Mr. Adams was found at work in his mill. He is a man of about 35, healthy and vigorous, a man whom one would not suspect of having any ailment. When interviewed he cheerfully made the following statement:—"About three years ago when at work at my trade I contracted, through over-exposure, a severe attack of muscular rheumatism, which confined me to the house for three weeks, during which time I suffered the most excruciating pain, being hardly able to move. I was so bad that I could not lie down, but had to jest let myself fall into bed. When attempting to rise I had to turn over upon my face and crawl up, there being only one position from which it was possible to rise. I would have given anything at this time in order to secure relief. My first thought was to call in a regular practitioner, so I procured one of the best physicians in the neighborhood, but he did not seem to get control of the malady. After treating me for some time he left of his own accord saying he could do nothing for me. About this time a friend of mine persuaded me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Finally, I decided to give them a trial, I soon experienced a decided improvement, and was mending rapidly, the terrible pain left me and I had considerable relief and was able to get around with the use of a cruetch. After the further use of the Pink Pills I was so far recovered ed as to be able to resume work and since that time have been free from the complaint. I do not now feel any of the soreness and stiffness of the joints I can get right up in the morning and go off to work without any feeling of uneasiness whatever. I have every confidence in Pink Pills and heartily recommend them. I believe them a good thing to take at any time to get the blood into good condition, and if I felt any illness coming on I would, instead of calling a doctor, send at once for a box of Pink Pills."

When strong tributes as these can be had to the wonderful merits of Pink Pills, it is little wonder that their sales reach such enormous proportions, and that they are the favorite remedy with all classes. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing remedy for locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus Dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of la grippe, palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, all diseases depending upon vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In men they effect a radical cure in all troubles arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of any nature.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y., and sold in boxes (never in loose form by the dozen or hundred, and the public are cautioned against imitations, sold in this shape), at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company at either address.

CANADA'S CURIOUS FEATURES.

Theory of the Genesis of Our Great Series of Lakes.

The close observer of a reliable map of North America will notice a line of lakes whose general trend or line of direction is about parallel with that of the Rocky Mountains. These lakes begin well up on the Arctic frontier, with the inland body of water known as Great Bear Lake, and continue on down diagonally through the Dominion of Canada until they terminate in the great bodies of water that in part form the northeastern boundary of the United States. This peculiar lake system—for system it really is—continues until it reaches the drainage of the Mississippi river system and then is lost or terminates in minor lakelets that are not worthy of a location on an outline map. It is worthy of note that the Hudson Bay water system has communication clear through the Arctic Ocean, and this also fairly parallels the lake chain under consideration, lining with the Pacific coast and the great mountain range. Even Baffin's Bay and Davis Straits do the same, and in this systematic water trending there is a great physical significance.

Now what is the meaning, what is the genesis of what, accurately speaking, is known as a lake? What was the agency that made these reservoirs which do not involve the principle or have the nature of oceanic depressions? These lakes, large and small, even down to the lakelets of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, have on one of their sides a more or less abrupt embankment and another side where dry land is approached by marshiness. The most rational thing we can do in accounting for them on the line of physics, is to accept them as the imprints of stranded ice fields which pushed their way southward until resistance became too great, then stopped, while the shallower bodies moved on. There is not a physical feature in physical North America that contradicts the theory of terrestrial changes of centres of gravity and the consequently tilting ocean, the "spoor" of which action is simply so colossal that our diminutive minds, accustomed to the small affair in the gossip of history, fail to grasp the mighty significance.

The great tracks that come down through the Canadian Dominion are as plain as if the path had been trodden by the feet of omnipotence. We mammalials that could only come when conditions had become quiescent, when the cataclymal sweep were very wide apart, must not forget that eternal nature knows us only as a part of a series of minor incidents in her creative processions and endless repetitions.

THE GOOD MAN'S ORDEAL.

Ten Minutes of Devotion Under Most Distressing Conditions.

The worshippers at the Church of the Ascension in Auburn had a novel experience Sunday afternoon. The processional hymn had been sung, the white-robed young clergyman had finished his exhortation to the "dearly beloved brethren," the responses were over and prayers were commenced when a tardy parishioner arrived. As he walked down the aisle he did not notice that he was followed by a companion. When the parishioner stopped and bowed his head in prayer his companion continued its demure tread onward toward the chancel. Once or twice it stopped as the organ sounded the "amens," but when progress was resumed the course was still onward.

By a nimble leap the wanderer landed on the platform leading to the chancel, and there revealed itself as a tiger-striped kitten about six months old. The kitten's and the clergyman's eyes met. The horrified clergyman with great effort continued to read on, while the unconcerned kitten with tail erect and ears pricked, gazed on him with interest. Giving him a wink she passed on to the chancel, entered the sanctuary, and with a bound reached the altar. Not content with this she leaped to the bishop's chair and then set about adjusting herself to the surroundings by washing her face.

The sound of the clergyman's voice, however, seemed irresistible to her, and, jumping over the brass chancel rail, she leaped to the seat in front of the reading desk at which he was kneeling. With the close of the collect, "Lighten Our Darkness," the choir, the congregation still kneeling, sang an anthem. This interval gave the dominie his coveted opportunity to make a lunge for the cat. Pussy was happily purring very loud, but, seeing the attempt on her liberty, a nimble jump saved her from the clergyman's grasp.

With the close of the anthem came the resumption of prayers and also the renewed perambulations of pussy. She remounted the seat behind the clergyman, and to his horror her felt her gently testing the stability of his robe, apparently feeling her ground for a leap. The only place to leap was the clergyman's back. The kitten eyed her victim critically, and was about to leap when she was startled by the terrine yelp of a dog which had somehow got into the choir stall.

The kitten now turned her attention toward the organ, and peeping around, saw her enemy. Her enemy saw her at the same time. Each gazed intently in an apparent effort to hypnotize the other but the experiment was cut short by the dog, who with a leap and yelp, made for the cat, and but for the vigorous scrambling of the basses the two would have had an argument in full view of the clergyman and congregation.

The dog was held and the cat vanished just as the swelling sound of the final "amen" brought the worshippers from their knees, many of whom were entirely ignorant of the terrible ordeal through which their pastor had gone during the space of ten minutes of prayer.—Providence Journal.

Inter-State Fair.

For the Inter-State Fair at Tacoma, the steamer City of Kingston has made a round trip rate of $5.70, including two admissions to the fair.

Tickets on sale every Tuesday and Friday, from August 14th to October 30th inclusive, with final limit of twenty days from date of sale.

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Rather Exciting Experience of Tourists in New Guinea.

On the sixth morning after the start we were treated to a surprise party which I shall never forget, relates a writer in the September Lippincott's. I suppose I was the first to wake and what woke me was something whistling over my face as if it had come from below. I opened my eyes and listened. I could hear what sounded like a hum of voices at no great distance, and the next moment something whistled past my face again, then another, then two, then three and then a perfect shower. They were arrows—there was no mistake about that and if they were poisoned the slightest scratch from one of them meant death in horrible agony within an hour. I saw that the three guides had already slid noiselessly from their beds and were lying flat on their faces among the creepers with their eyes just peering over the edge of the foliage. My mates and I did the same. Then we saw our surprise party. At the foot of the bluff, cutting us off from our trail through the forest, stood fifty or sixty of the grimmest figures I ever saw. They were immensely tall men, each with a great winged mask or helmet over his head, the long hair standing out like a fringe beneath it, a cumbrous cuirass of the same dark brown or yellow color, and greaves or leg pieces to match. When the first shudder of surprise had passed I recognized the arrow proof armor of tortoise shell worn by a certain warrior tribe of New Guinea, a specimen of which I had seen in the British museum, and I knew we were face to face with some of the most bloodthirsty wretches on earth. They carried their testimonials with them. As they came nearer and nearer to us I saw that each had a string of human heads slung around him, still dripping with gore and smearing the tortoise shell armor at each stride the warrior took. I called hoarsely to the guides to know what we were to do. I felt my flesh creep all over when I saw that they were gone. We three unarmed whites were at the mercy of these ghastly monsters.

How I knew what was the right thing to do or how I nerved myself to do it I cannot tell. But I did it. Whispering to my companions not to stir, I slid down from under my bed place, opened my white umbrella and walked slowly down the slope to meet the mail clad phalanx. I don't believe I was in my senses, but the effect was just as good as if I had been in the habit of receiving visitors of that kind every morning. They all stood still and stared at me in blank astonishment, exactly as I have seen a mob of wild cattle do when I have suddenly turned and faced them in the Australian desert. Steadily advancing, I made them a loud salutation, which they instantly returned with a strange, melodious cry, like a choric song. It was neck or nothing now. Marching straight up to the foremost warrior, who had thrown back his mask and displayed his hideous face, I placed the palms of my hands against the palms of his, already stretched out to meet me, and, standing on tiptoe, I pressed my nose firmly against his and my cheek against his cheek. My mouth and nostrils and throat filled with a stench so frightful that I felt my bowels rise. I knew only too well what it was. It was the fetid smell of human blood, with which the wretch was gorged. But my own life and my companions' were at stake, and I gulped down my brace. It was quite successful. The huge, ponderous barbarians, with their rattling armor and their reeking trophies, clustered around me, pawing me over like great dogs and indulging their speechless curiosity by opening and shutting my umbrella and feeling the texture of my flannel clothes.

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MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TO OWNERS OF REAL PROPERTY.

Tax notices have this day been posted to all parties assessed for Real Property in the City of Victoria. If not delivered at residence, please call at postoffice for same.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

City Collector's Office,
City Hall, August 28, 1894. aug29-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to sections 12 and 20 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-law, 1894," which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating, except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In North Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In Central Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays, and

In South Ward, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore specified there shall be charged fifty cents additional for each infraction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 15th, 1894.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,

(LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE NO. 24.

Taking effect Sept. 1st, 1894.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday at 13:15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going east Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney, Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leave New Westminster for Victoria, Monday at 13:15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender Island and Sidney, Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st, 10th and 20th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 1st and 15th of each month.

The company reserves the right of changing this time table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING,
Manager.

G. A. CARLETON,
General Agent.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO 19

To Take Effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday October 17th, 1893.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND. READ UP.

No. 1 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	No. 3 Passenger Fri's, Sat's & Sundays.	Miles from Wellington.
Ar. 12.25 P M	VICTORIA	Ar. 5.00 P M	
12.30	RUSSELLS	7.30	
12.40	ESQUIMALT	7.18	
12.50	GOLDSTREAM	7.08	
1.15	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	6.39	
1.25	COBBLE HILL	6.27	
1.40	McPHERSON'S	6.15	
1.50	KOKSILAH	6.05	
1.57	DUNCANS	5.58	
2.17	SOMENOS	5.38	
2.24	CHEMAINUS	5.31	
3.00	NANAIMO	4.45	
3.30	WELLINGTON	Lv. 4.30	
Ar.		Lv.	

NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN.

No. 2 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	No. 4 Passenger Fri's, Sat's & Sundays.	Miles from Victoria.
Lv. 8.00 A M	WELLINGTON	Lv. 3.00 P M	
8.06	NANAIMO	2.55	
8.45	CHEMAINUS	2.16	
8.56	SOMENOS	2.05	
9.14	DUNCANS	1.47	
9.24	KOKSILAH	1.37	
9.37	McPHERSON'S	1.24	
10.12	COBBLE HILL	1.09	
10.23	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	1.00	
10.48	GOLDSTREAM	0.35	
11.00	ESQUIMALT	0.23	
11.10	RUSSELLS	0.13	
Ar. 12.15 P M	VICTORIA	Lv.	

ON FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter good for return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a fare and a quarter where the single fare is twenty-five cents.

Through rates between Victoria and Comox

Mileage and Commutation Tickets can be obtained on application to the Ticket Agents, at Victoria, Duncans or Nanaimo Stations.

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NEWS OF THE INTERIOR.

Proposition to Start a Fruit Cannery in Mission Valley.

Vernon News.

The A. and T. association proposes to start a fruit cannery in Mission valley with a capacity of a ton a day.

The agricultural association have agreed to combine with the city council in welcoming Lord Aberdeen on his arrival to open the fall show. A committee from the society will consult with the civic fathers on the best steps to be taken and arrangements will be made accordingly. An address of welcome will probably be presented to his excellency, and while we understand it is not the intention of the committee to make any very elaborate display, they will endeavor to welcome the governor-general in a hearty and becoming manner.

The department of agriculture at Victoria have, through their agent, Mr. R. M. Palmer, inspector of fruit pests, sent circulars to the farmers of this district inviting them to contribute specimens of fruit for exhibition at the Imperial Institute and at the office of the B. C. agent general at London, England. In response, several of the local fruit growers have complied with the request, and among those near the city who have forwarded samples are Messrs. L. Girouard and Price Ellison. The latter's exhibit consisted of plums, Bartlett pears and appless. The pears are especially worthy of mention, being magnificent specimens of their variety, and some of the apples were veritable monsters in size, averaging in girth about fifteen inches. The Okanagan district is gaining? an enviable reputation as a fruit producing country, and this exhibit will serve to bring it prominently before the British public.

A good deal of fall ploughing will be done this year on the commonage. Mr. Quin Faulkner will commence in a few days to break about 100 acres on his new pre-emption.

This week will about finish threshing throughout the district. With some fortunate exceptions, the farmers generally complain of crops being much below the average.

It is fortunate that an unusually large hay crop has been cut this season, as owing to the dry summer the ranges will not be in very good condition for winter feed.

It is intimated that the Enderby Milling company have made another drop in the price of wheat. No reduction, however, in the price of flour is experienced; it still remains at $1.50 for a 50 pound sack. We have heard of the miller keeping the grist and giving the customer the toll. It is under consideration to boycott flour made from cheap wheat. One good turn deserves another.

The announcement that the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier will not visit this city during his present tour will occasion general regret and disappointment. It was confidently expected that arrangements could be made to have him address a meeting here, but on Saturday Mayor Martin received word from Kamloops that he would be unable to do so, as the time allowed for the province was fully occupied and it would be impossible to give even one additional day to British Columbia. This is unfortunate, as in no interior town would he be likely to meet so large an audience as his presence would attract to this city from the surrounding districts. We hear that several of our citizens intend to take advantage of his presence at Kamloops to hear the eloquent Liberal leader. Reduced fares have been given on the main line of the C. P. R., but for some unexplained reason no reduction has been granted on the S. & O. branch.

Sir Peter Walker and Hon. W. S. Powers, two English gentlemen who left on Tuesday on a hunting trip after caribou into the Harris creek and Fire valley country, were brought up before Mr. Price Ellison, S. M., on Monday, charged with an infraction of the game laws. The information was laid by Mr. Charles Mee, who had been sent up for this purpose by the New Westminster District Game Protective Association, and charged them with killing mountain sheep and goat out of season near Lytton. They pleaded guilty, and stated in extenuation that they had a wrong impression as to the requirements of the act, which they thought permitted game of this description to be killed after August 1st. In consideration of their ignorance of the amended act and the difficulty which strangers find in construing it the fine imposed was a light one, $10 each and costs, which amounted to about $70 in all. In addition to this they were compelled to take out a shooting license of $50 each.

Slocan Times.

The deal has been closed which consigns to the Omaha & Grant smelter, eight hundred tons of ore from the Alpha mine, and the shipment will begin without delay. A three dollar rate from Silverton to Nakusp has been secured. This will be the largest individual shipment yet made from the Slocan country, and the largest, but one, made from West Kootenay, the exception being a shipment of one thousand tons made from the Le Roi, at Trail Creek, last spring.

The Humphrey-Moore concentrator, which will be the first mill in active operation in the Slocan country, is located at the mouth of Howson creek, on a rocky spur about one mile below Three Forks. A more suitable location could not well have been chosen to handle the ore from the Idaho and Alamo mines, and other properties in their neighborhood. An elevated tramway running straight down the creek will discharge the ores on the upper levels of the concentrator building, and the lower level, where the finished product comes out, is only a few feet from the railroad grade.

W. C. Ward, general manager of the Bank of British Columbia, and G. V. Holt, local agent at Nelson, arrived at New Denver by steamboat on Monday afternoon last. Their principal business was connected with the payment soon to be made on the Alpha mine and the large shipment of ore which is to begin on Monday next. He said business did not justify the establishment of a branch at New Denver.

The following estimate of the amount of ore which will be shipped the coming winter has been made by Mr. J. A. Finch. The estimate is essentially conservative and does not agree with the intentions and expressions of many individual shippers; but Mr. Finch has the present productive capacity of the various mines down pretty fine, and his total may be taken as the minimum output of the country:

Slocan Star	2000 tons
Noble Five	1500 "
Other claims on Reveau mountain	1000 "
Wonderful	500 "
Idaho	1500 "
Alamo and other claims in Idaho basin	500 "
Grady group	1000 "
Fisher Maiden	500 "
Mountain Chief	500 "
Dardanelles	500 "
Ruby Silver and Surprise	300 "
All other claims	1000 "
Total	10,800 tons

This is a very moderate estimate, yet it is three times or more than the output of last season and augurs favorably for a busy and prosperous winter. Suppose in round numbers 11,000 tons are shipped. It is possible for the C. P. R. by connecting at once with the Arrow Lake and hurrying up the completion of the Nakusp & Slocan, to secure the freighting of every pound of 11,000 tons. Its officials can figure out better than the Times whether there is not sufficient inducement here to keep the Revelstoke route open all winter.

AN UNEQUALLED RIFLE SHOT.

The Wonderful Record of an U. S. Army Lieutenant.

Lieut. Partello, of Toledo, Ohio, enjoys a record as a rifle shot that has never been equalled, and one that any man may be well proud of, it being nothing less than 89 bullseyes in succession at 500 yards.

His great skill in the use of the rifle was brought to the attention of President Hayes during his administration, and he sent for Partello and after a brief interview with him appointed him a lieutenant in the regular army, and during his career as an officer he has headed nearly every team he has entered, and has won and held for years the record of the world. He has over 30 medals, most of which are government medals made in the mint. The first cross made by the government as a reward for special excellence was won by him.

At Leavenworth, Kansas, in September, 1882, he made the best score in three days' contest and won a gold medal valued at $150, made at the United States mint.

At Washington, October 1, 1878, he made the world's record at 800, 900 and 1000 yards—224 out of the possible 225; 15 bullseyes at 800 yards, 14 at 900 and 15 at 1000. Two weeks later he made 15 bullseyes at 900, completing the chain of 45 bullseyes in 45 shots at the extreme ranges.

He made at Creedmoor, in 45 shots, 220 out of 225; 44 consecutive bullseyes, but the last shot, from some unaccountable reason was a miss. This is the nearest the big score ever has been approached at extreme ranges.

At Washington, September, 1879, at 500 yards, a complete score was made, 10 bullseyes, and at 600 yards 48 out of 50, a total of 98 out of a hundred.

At Washington, January 1, 1879, a complete score was made at 300 yards in off-hand or standing position. This has never been beaten before or since.

At Fort Keogh, Mont., in a contest against record, he made 30 bullseyes in 30 shots at 500 yards. Kept on and made 89 consecutive bullseyes. The 90th shot was a 4, close to the bullseye, and then he stopped.

Thousands of ambitious marksmen have been peppering away at these scores for years, but no one has equalled them.

Wing—"Did you have any luck on your hunting expedition?"

King—"None at all. Confound that guide!"

Wing—"What was the trouble with the guide? Didn't he know the country?"

King—"He knew the country well enough; but he's the worst shot I ever ran across."

A Good Appetite

Always accompanies good health, and an absence of appetite is an indication of something wrong. The universal testimony given by those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla, as to its merits of restoring the appetite, and as a purifier of the blood, constitutes the strongest recommendation that can be used for any medicine.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver ills, billiousness, jaundice, indigestion, sick headache. 25c.

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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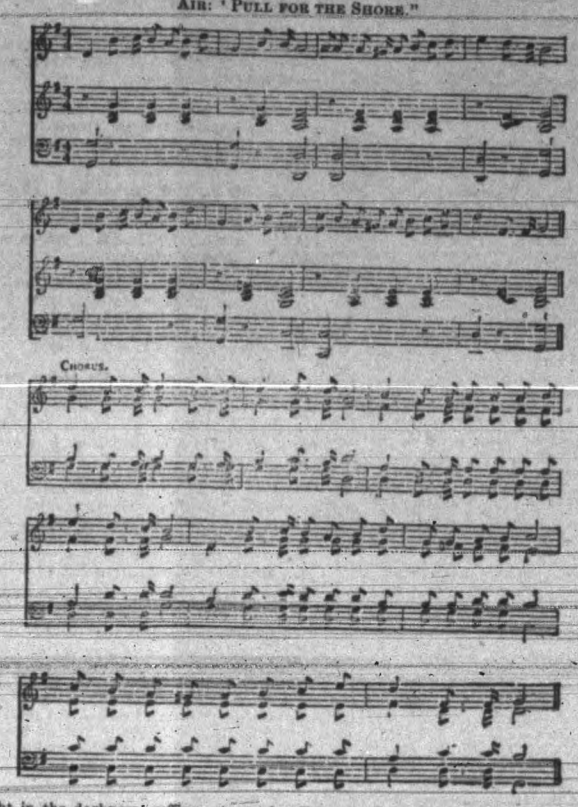

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Builds up flesh and muscle, suff'rer, that will endure.
Ho! then, ye sick, etc.

Hark to the sound, poor suff'rers, hear ye the strain?
Thousands of happy ones now chant the refrain;
"Health, strength, new life and vigor, we all have found
In that wondrous medicine, Paine's Cel'ry Compound."
Ho! then, ye sick, etc.

IT BROKE UP THE COLONY.

Woman Suffrage Among the Washington Co-operationists.

Another sweet dream is ended. Civil war is raging in Utopia. The Washington co-operative colony which left Spokane last spring and went down into Klickitat county to teach the wicked wasteful world a lesson in improved social economy was only made up of common mortals after all, each with a great deal of human nature to the cubic inch. And they know it now.

The brief accounts in letters to Spokane have plenty of force, but lack details of just how the trouble started. Only one thing is sure—woman suffrage did it. From the very first there were one or two members of the colony who objected to mixing experiments and insisted that the colony's business affairs should be trusted to the practiced hands of men. But the majority overruled them. Mrs. Jewett and Mrs Hunsecker were chosen for two of the directors. Another lady was chosen secretary. Several were admitted as full members of the colony.

But for two or three months there have been mumurs of discontent. It was hinted by the dissatisfied that women did not know much about business anyway. The work of the lady secretary was criticized. The votes of the lady directors were freely discussed. And some one discovered that when Mr. and Mrs. Hunsecker voted with Mr. and Mrs. Jewett they had a majority of the board of directors and could do what they chose.

About ten days ago the crisis came. The majority of the society wanted one plan of work adopted and the majority of the board favored another. The Hunseckers and Jewetts voted together and their plan was adopted. That settled it. Ten families seceded from the colony and began packing their earthly possessions ready to emigrate. Seven members, five of them officers, remained loyal to the administration. These are Mr. and Mrs. Jewett, Mr. and Mrs. Hunsecker, Mr. and Mrs. Howell and the lady secretary.

The split cannot be mended. A division of the property has been effected and the seceders are now looking for a new home. Their plan is to go a few miles down the valley, take up some wild land and form a new colony with improved by-laws, into which it is said no idea of woman suffrage will be allowed to creep. There may be some trouble over the homestead laws, which recognize only individual settlers, who are under no obligations to share their land with anybody. But the seceders hope to fix that in some manner.

Whether the seven faithful members of the old colony will stand together on the farm at the mouth of the White Salmon remains to be seen. The chances are that they will for a while at any rate.—Spokane Chronicle.

Miscellany.

People who disappear and are never heard of again are more numerous than one would suppose. In the dominions of the British empire alone some 8000 individuals vanish every year without leaving any indications as to their whereabouts, or even appearing again. The ingenuity of suicides, no doubt, may have something to do with that result, for many beings of our species seem to have inherited a share of that instinct that teaches our dumb fellow-creatures to die in well-selected hiding places. By far the largest number, however, is accounted for by the desire to evade domestic responsibilities by runaway husbands and fathers.

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

NOTICE

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co'y.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of this company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the third day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, September 1st, 1894.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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Three More Sealers Which Have Met With Misfortune Return to Port.

The Favorite Seized on a Silly Pretext—Florence M. Smith on the Rocks.

This is a hard luck year for sealers. The schooner Favorite is home from the sea under seizure upon the silliest charge that could possibly have been used to drive her from the sea, the schooner Florence M. Smith is piled up on the reef beyond Coffin Island at the mouth of the harbor, and the little schooner Labrador is back with all of her canoes gone and everything movable swept from her decks, all lost in a terrific gale on August 20. The schooner Oscar and Hattie with 1911 seal skins, 27 days from Copper Island, is the only one of a fleet of four schooners which arrived between midnight last night and daylight this morning that has not a yarn of misfortune to spin.

Captain Laughlin McLean, of the Favorite, walked up to the custom house this morning with a funny looking weapon in his hand. It had once been a No. 10 shot gun, but the barrels had been sawed off 12 inches from the triggers. A pistol handle had been substituted for the old stock, and it was old and battered looking. "That," said he, holding it up, "is what I was seized for. That is the "firearms" I carried into the sea. I took it with me as a rocket gun and as such it was entered upon my papers when I cleared from here. The United States steamer Mohican boarded me on August 24, 90 miles west northwest of Unalaska, and when asked about firearms I showed them this. To my surprise they seized me. I talked to Commander Clark and told him I would pay $500 apiece for all the seals he would kill with it. He said that I was not to blame, and that he believed I would have no trouble getting clear. However, he thought my gun came under the provisions of the President's proclamation and could do nothing but send me to Unalaska to report to H. M. S. Pheasant. I went to Unalaska and was ordered to report to the collector here. I lay there several days and made the run to Victoria in ten days, not including two days I was in Kyoquot. When seized I had 1245 skins, all taken in the sea. We brought a canoe's crew from the Minnie to Kyoquot. They got lost and we picked them up. Three men were lost by the Fawn, but managed to get to the Pribyloff islands in their boat. The Corwin brought them to Unalaska on August 28, and H. M. S. Pheasant took them out to try and find the schooner. The Pheasant had just left a few days before we did and the men had then been 14 days away from their schooner. When they left her she had 100 skins. The Walter L. Rich had 800 skins for the sea on Aug. 24. The Minnie had 606 skins and the Katherine 371. There was a big gale on August 20, and it gave some of the schooners quite a shaking up."

Everyone who has seen Captain McLean's "shot gun" has laughed at it, and there is not the shadow of a doubt that his schooner will be speedily cleared of any liability. Seizing her and driving her from the midst of the second season is looked upon as the rankest injustice. The schooner is anchored in the stream, but will pass into the hands of the customs to-day.

Out at the mouth of the harbor wedged in between two rocks of the reef beyond Coffin Island, with her bow high up in the air, is the schooner Florence M. Smith, late of Halifax, Nova Scotia, and the latest addition to the sealing fleet. She came in this morning at 2:30 o'clock. Her crew did not know the harbor and tried to bring her in on the west side of [illegible] the channel and presently with a couple of bumps that awoke the watch below she was on the reef. Fortunately the wind was light and the schooner was coming in slowly under a foresail. The water was pretty big, and as it receded during the forenoon the schooner looked to be almost high and dry. However, the schooner kept an even keel, even to the lowest water, and will very likely be hauled off without being damaged to any extent. At ten o'clock, when a Times man was aboard, she had not started to leak a drop and the crew believed that her bottom would not be damaged. The Smith only got 96 skins off the Japan coast and 86 off Copper Island, making a total of 182. She left Halifax in December last and went out into the Atlantic and the storms of midwinter. She got quite a shaking up, losing her topmast and headgear and being forced to put into Pernambuco. It was late in the season before she reached Yokohama and got ready for sealing. S. T. Gunnison, one of the men, met with a serious accident shortly after leaving Yokohama. He was loading the signal gun and the minute he rammed the powder down it went off, probably ignited by a spark. Gunnison received the full charge in the right side of his face and around the right eye. They landed him in Hakodate and he was in the hospital there for a month. The Smith is a fine able schooner of 98 tons. She is commanded by Captain Allan and owned by Captain Kelly of this city.

The little schooner Labrador, Captain Whitely, came in with the procession and rides at anchor in James Bay. She got 600 seals in the sea, making 900 for the season, and would have done better but for the gale of Aug. 20, which smashed and carried away every canoe. "The wind was not as strong as some I have seen, but the waves surpassed anything I ever saw," said Captain Whitely. "We must have gotten into tide rips, for a single sea would break three ways on us. Everything was washed from the decks, including our signal cannon. We also carried away a staysail. The schooner was on her beam ends three times, but we managed to save her every time. My greatest wonder is that we ever escaped. The Indians got so frightened that they were of absolutely no use to me at all, and with the two white men aboard I had to handle the schooner. I could not get the Indians to even haul on a rope. The gale lasted about 62 hours, and the three of us had to stand by the schooner virtually all the time. A lull in the storm was very welcome. We had to make for home right away, as we had no canoes in which to hunt and the Indians were anxious to get away. We were in 54:25 north and 167:10 west when the gale struck us. The point is about due south of the islands."

The Oscar and Hattie came in under Captain Folger, Captain Magneson having taken sick on the Japan coast and returned home early in the year. The schooner got 1735 on the Japan coast and 176 at Copper Islands, making 1911 for the season. She hunted to the south of the islands and had quite rough weather, with few seals. She spoke the Penelope with 240 for Copper Islands and 1500 for the season, the Rattler with 109 for the Islands and 1100 for the season, and the Theresa with 50 for Copper Islands. The Oscar and Hattie had a long voyage down, being 27 days on the way. She had no accidents during her cruise and the topmast missed from a shore view is on her deck.

THE SMITH FLOATED.

At 3:45 this afternoon at high tide the schooner Florence M. Smith was hauled off the rocks by the tug Sadie. The operation was not difficult, it did not consume much time, and it is believed that the schooner was not damaged. She was brought into the harbor at four o'clock.

THUNDERSTORMS AND FISH.

Some Explanations of the Fatal Effects of Concussion on thier Lives.

The electric storm of Saturday night deprived many aquariums, both in residences and shop windows, of their silver and gold fish. Thunder and lightning is judged by old fishermen and proprietors of animal stores to be the cause of the death of the fish which are found floating on their backs for several mornings after an electric storm.

The mud cats, buffalo, shovel fish, carp and other denizens of the deep, seem to defy the thunderbolts unless of a tender age. The perch, sun fish, bass, croppie and the fancy gold and silver fish are effected more readily. By hundreds they have been found dead after a severe storm. And for several days minnows do not frequent their wonted spots.

What is the cause of the death of fish immediately during or after an electric disturbance? Old fisermen at Union market were interviewed with different and varied results. Men noted for their erudition in fish stories or their knowledge of thunder and lightning from observation were asked the question.

The tradition is an old one. At the root of every tradition is the germ of truth. Milk was known to be soured by thunder long before the reason was given by science. The acid produced in the atmosphere by electric storms which sour milk occurred to one gentleman as the cause that killed the delicate little fish.

The concussion produced by loud peals of thunder communicating itself to the water, which is a splendid conductor of sound waves, solved the problem in the mind of Dr. Wellington Adams, a prominent electrician. He had noticed that when a cannon or a gun was fired over any water course that a number of little fish came to the surface floating on their backs, dead. The thunder acted like the cannon report and the concussion broke the air chambers, which by compression cause the fish to sink and by expansion to rise to the surface.

A number of old fishermen, rich in sporting lore and believing firmly in their observations, are positive that thunder and lightning kill their fish with the same telling effect that a shock of dynamite has under water.

"It is nothing," remarked Louis Dieckmban, "to look into my fish tanks after a heavy storm and find many dead. I think it is a sulphur in the air which comes with a storm that kills them."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—Five cents buys a glass of cool Milwaukee beer at the Delmonico hotel. *

—Tug Lorne has gone around to Esquimalt to go on the marine railway for her annual overhauling.

—The American barkentine Iringand, Captain Schmidt, arrived this morning from San Francisco. She loads lumber at Hastings mill.

—Mrs. Baumgart, for violation of the sewerage connections regulations by-law, was fined $2.50, with $2 costs, in the police court this morning.

—The Northern Pacific steamship Sikh was not dispatched to the Orient to-day but will be to-morrow. She will arrive from Tacoma about noon.

—A jolly party of hunters made up of Dr. Findley and Messrs. Cryderman, Demers, Cunningham and Packard leave in the morning for Jordan river on a 15 days' hunting trip.

—The jack tars from H. M. S. Royal Arthur will give an entertainment in Temperance hall, Pandora street, this evening. There should be a good turn out, as the show will be a good one.

—Water Consumers on the higher levels are notified that the pumps will not be working between 7 o'clock this evening and noon to-morrow. They are advised to obtain a supply before it is cut off.

—John D. Davis, special commissioner of the Interstate Fair at Tacoma, is in the city again looking into the matter of British Columbia exhibits. He goes to Vancouver to-night with Walter A. Donaldson, deputy collector of customs, who has charge of the foreign exhibits at Tacoma.

—Rev. Dr. Campbell last evening delivered an interesting lecture on the life of Sir William Wallace before the Sir William Wallace Society. He spoke of the history of Scotland and of the successes and reverses of one of the greatest generals. After the lecture an hour was pleasantly spent in songs and recitations.

—James Mackie, who is under arrest on suspicion of being the man who assaulted a Chinaman and robbed him of $10 on lower Government street on Thursday night, was in the police court this morning, but his case was remanded until Monday morning. The police are at work and a pretty strong case against him is promised.

—Mr. Stadthagen, the grocer, must keep good pickles, for William Edwards stole three kegs full from him last night. Edwards was nabbed, a case was proved against him in the police court this morning and this afternoon he entered upon a two months' term at the provincial jail. The pickles were returned by the police to their rightful owner.

—At Caledonian gounds this afternoon the firemen beat the boiler makers at lacrosse by a score of two goals to none. It was a good game. The James Bays-Stars match in the intermediate league then opened. The James Bays won the first goal in 23 minutes and the Stars the second game in 15 minutes. The play so far is clean and good.

—On Monday evening the young people of Emmanuel Baptist Church, Spring Ridge, will hold their fourth national social, this one being the American social. As all who attended these socials were delighted no doubt this one will prove as good as the past ones. Refreshments served will be entirely American. A collection will be taken at the door.

—Frank Porteous had a celebration last night which came to a lively end at the Vancouver house. He entered the bar there and tried to wreck the place. He smashed up bottles of liquor, broke glassware and made a hole in the panel of the door. Then he was arrested. He was convicted before Magistrate Macrae this morning, fine $20 and ordered to pay $15 costs to the prosecutor, Proprietor Dawley of the Vancouver house. The money will very likely be forthcoming.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

Such Was the Verdict of the Jury at the Loui Inquest.

Despite the fact that the coroner's jury in the inquest held yesterday on the body of Joseph Loui returned a verdict saying that his killing was accidental, Robert Wilson, who held the gun, is still in custody and will very likely be given still another hearing, this time before a magistrate. The jury called by Coroner Husell was composed of Messrs. Erskine, Shaw, Bone, Barneley, M. Young and H. Clay, with Mr. Erskine as foreman. The important evidence came from Edward Lavellet, the colored man, and Robert Wilson. The story of the robbery was told and then the trip after the Indians. Wilson swore that Loui advanced upon him and he ordered him back, at the same time pointing the gun at him. He did not raise it to his shoulder. Loui grabbed for the gun and in the struggle it went off. He had no intention of shooting the Indian. Amil, the companion of Loui, told of purchases of liquor from the negro, the trouble over it, the trip to Wilson's house, and the scuffle over the shot gun. Drs. Foote and Jones gave testimony as to the wound and treatment.

The jury retired and returned the following verdict: "The deceased met death by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of R. C. Wilson."

Lavellet will be taken back to Chemainus to answer for selling liquor to Indians, and Wilson is still in the custody of the provincial police.

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Successful Days Races at the Victoria Driving Park Yesterday.

Lacrosse Matches at Home and at Vancouver To-Day—Baseball Match.

Bad weather and the consequent heavy track interfered with the races yesterday afternoon. Despite the rain, however, a large number of people were in attendance, even a few ladies braving the annoyances of wet clothes and ruined plumes for the sake of seeing a couple of races. The event of the day was the mile and a quarter dash for the Bowker park stakes, $300 and a piece of plate. There were three entries, Doncaster, All Smoke and Henrietta, Geo. the latter was scratched, leaving Geo. Brynes' Doncaster and All Smoke, the Calgary horse, to fight for the prize. The race was a fairly good one for the first three-quarters, but Doncaster running under disadvantages was good for very little after that. He was carrying 25 pounds more than All Smoke and was not nearly as well ridden. There was lots of betting on the event, those who had seen the two horses run at Vancouver not being unanimous in their opinion as to which would win. All Smoke was favorite at 10 to 6, the Calgary and Mainland men taking the favorite and finding lots of Victorians to back the local horse at the odds offered.

Mlowera, Doncaster's stable mate, had very little trouble in winning the first race, a mile dash for $200. Her opponents were Johnny Hooker and Jim Murphy, two old timers. Hooker as usual was balky and it took Gannon to keep him from going through the fence, which kept him out of the race. Mlowera and Murphy got away together, the latter taking the lead but soon loosing it to Byrnes' pretty little mare, who drew ahead and came home easily, Murphy laboring hard under the whip.

The trotting and pacing, 2:33 class, for a purse of $250, was won by Hylas Jim, the favorite, in three straight heats. Davis Boy made the favorite work hard in one or two of the heats, but Primero was outclassed, being distanced in the second heat. The first heat was a procession from start to finish, Primero going in the air rounding the first turn and being followed by Davis Boy. Only once was the leader pushed, but he was always ready for such emergencies and could leave space between himself and the next horse whenever called upon. He trotted a steady race throughout, not making a skip. Time 2:37 1-2.

The second heat was more interesting, Hylas Jim and Davis Boy making a good race. They got away together, were neck at the quarter, and nose and nose at the half, the race between these two posts being very pretty. Primero had broken and was out of the race. After passing the half Hylas Jim drew ahead and maintained the advantage, winning in 2:30, Primero distanced.

Only the two horses started in the third heat, and they kept well together, but there was little interest as Jim could draw away from Davis Boy whenever it was necessary. They made a good race up the stretch, Jim being pressed just in time to get his nose under the wire before the big chestnut. Time 2:36.

Lyme Long, ridden by Charlton, won the [illegible] repeat, taking two heats in succession. He was pressed hard by Rifton both times, but the Vancouver horse could not stay with the game and cool sorrel. Electric was in too fast company altogether, and Dick Turpin was too slow for Lyme Long and Rifton. Lyme Long led from the start in both heats, although Rifton was close to his haunches several times, the latter being ridden for all he was worth by the China boy. The time was 52 and 52 1-2.

Then came the race for which half those present had come through the rain to see. Doncaster and All Smoke, the starters in the race for the Bowker park stakes, got away without scoring, just as the heavy shower had stopped. All Smoke got a short lead, but coming up the strech they were neck and neck. After going past the stand Doncaster fell behind, but pulled up and was leading at the half. Coming up neck and neck. After going past the stand the stretch the second time the horses were neck and neck. All Smoke running easily and leaving Doncaster in difficulties, the jockey using his whip freely. At the mile Doncaster was beaten and All Smoke came home easily, three lengths in the lead.

A FAST MILE.

Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 14.—This was the greatest record-breaking day ever seen on a track. To-night everyone is wearing a blue ribbon with the new record printed upon it. Robert J. paced a mile in 2:01 1-2. Carbonate lowered the two-year-old pacing record from 2:10 to 2:09, John R. Gentry made the stallion record for pacers 2:03 3-4, and did so in a race. Directly tied Carbonate's record of 2:10 for two-year-old pacers made early in the week. Joe Patchen paced a mile in 2:04, beating the stallion record of 2:05 1-4, which held good until early in the day, when Gentry set the new mark, and Alix trotted a mile in 2:04 1-2 in an attempt to break Nancy Hanks' record of 2:04. The track was fast and the horses were in first class condition.

BASEBALL.
WANT A GAME.

Capt. Schutz, of the Victoria team, has received a letter from Nanaimo asking for a game either here or at Nanaimo next Saturday. A meeting has been called for Monday evening to consider the proposition, to chose a team and arrange for the match with Seattle during exhibition week. Lenfesty has returned from the east, so that now the team is as strong as ever.

LACROSSE.
MATCHES TO-DAY.

Victoria is interested in two matches that are being played to-day, one at Vancouver and the other in this city. The senior team went to Vancouver this morning to play the second last match in the championship series unless there should be a tie. The team was strengthened by Morton's presence, whose hand is now much better. The other match is that between the James Bays and Stars in the intermediate championship series.

THE GUN.
DEER MAY BE SHOT.

This was the first day on which deer could be hunted, and as a consequence the woods are now full of rifles. Dozens of parties have been organized to spend a few days in the mountains, the more ambitious hunters giving the smaller game a rest.

Condensed Dispatches.

The first whaleback built on the coast is to be launched at Everett, Wash., about the end of October.

Governor Pennoyer of Oregon has taken proceedings to compel Oregon banks to hand over to the state the balances standing to the credit of intestate estates.

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